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CONFIDENTIALMEMORANDUM FOR MR. RICHARD V. ALLEN
THE WHITE HOUSESubject: Australian Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser's
State Visit June 29-July 1, 1981

The President has invited Australian Prime Minister Malcolm Fraser to visit Washington from June 29 to July 1. In addition to meeting with the President and Secretary of State, meetings have been requested with the Vice President, the Director of Central Intelligence, and the Secretaries of Defense and Treasury. These meetings will facilitate the discussion of several important issues of mutual concern (see below). They will also enable the development of a closer working relationship between Prime Minister Fraser and key USG leaders, including the President. The main objectives of the visit are:

- To exchange views on the Soviet threat and Western strategic posture (including Poland and Australian participation in allied efforts to maintain stability in Southwest Asia and the Indian Ocean). ✓
- To discuss Southeast Asia with special attention to ASEAN, Kampuchea, and Vietnam. ✓
- To outline our respective approaches for dealing with the Third World, with particular attention to the question of how we might cooperate in this area and to the interplay between the Ottawa Summit, the Cancun Summit and the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting in Melbourne. ✓
- To discuss the world economic outlook with particular attention to trade, the energy and raw materials situations, and the US and Australian economies. ✓

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- To reaffirm the importance of prior consultations to our close relationship with Australia and discuss possible improvements in the procedures for consultations.

Other important issues likely to be touched on in these discussions include: bilateral and ANZUS defense cooperation; Australia's defense posture and procurement; the Sinai multinational peacekeeping force; the extra-territorial application of US law, particularly antitrust law; the USG review of its approach to the Law of the Sea negotiations; the Dillingham expropriation case; efforts to establish a uranium enrichment facility in Australia; MTN codes and related issues; the selection of a new Director General for the International Atomic Energy Agency and a post-mortem on the partial grains embargo.

We request a meeting with appropriate White House officials to review this submission.

for 
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Executive Secretary

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